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- ❖ A goodness gets a goodness
- ❖ Being no.1 is ordinary, being different is extraordinary.
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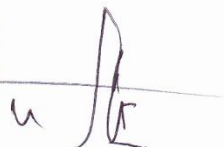
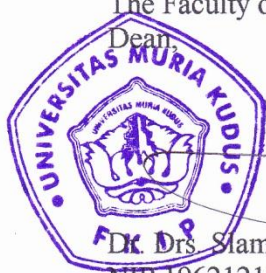
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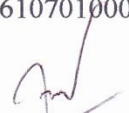
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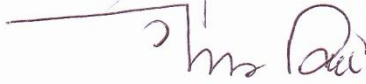
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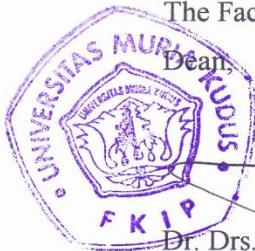

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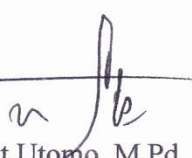
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ABSTRACT

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Embedded clause is a clause coming to function as a constituent WITHIN the structure of a group, which itself is a constituent of a clause. It is rather difficult to determine whether some clauses belong to embedded clause or not in a clause due to its complexity. That is why we need media to be utilized as a medium in effort to be easier to understand embedded clause. One media we may use as the media is newspaper. One of newspaper which uses English as its language is The Jakarta Post. One of articles included in The Jakarta Post is sport article. There are many embedded clauses we can find in the sport articles of The Jakarta Post.

The objective of this research is to find out the use of embedded clause including the types and the functions of embedded clauses in sports article of The Jakarta Post issued in October 2012.

This is descriptive qualitative research. The data of the research are embedded clause meanwhile the sport articles of The Jakarta Post issued in October 2012 is as the data source of the research. I use descriptive research to analyze the types and the functions of the embedded clauses found in each clause in the sport articles of The Jakarta Post issued in October 2012.

Based on the finding of this research, I find embedded clauses positioning as head (51) and modifier (117). Dealing with the functions, I find embedded clauses functioning as participant (51), post modifier in a nominal group (83), and post modifier in an adverbial group (34). The most dominant type here is modifier and the most dominant function is as post modifier in a nominal clause. It means more embedded clauses in a text mean more information. The writer of the sport articles wants to give more information to the readers about the articles by elaborating more the nominal group included in the articles through embedded clause.

From this research, I hope the readers, lectures, and students pay attention more the embedded clauses in the text because embedded clauses contain information so that we can understand well the text.

ABSTRAK

Lukmono, Budi Suci. 2013. *Analisis Klausa Sematan di Artikel Olahraga The Jakarta Post Oktober 2012*. Skripsi. Fakultas Keguruan dan Ilmu Pendidikan, Pendidikan Bahasa Inggris, Universitas Muria Kudus. Pembimbing: (i) Rismiyanto, S.S, M.Pd., (ii) Fitri Budi Suryani, S.S, M.Pd.

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Klausa sematan adalah mekanisme dimana sebuah klausa berfungsi sebagai bagian dari frasa dimana frasa tersebut merupakan bagian dari sebuah klausa. Menentukan apakah sebuah klausa termasuk klausa sematan atau tidak dalam sebuah klausa itu sedikit sulit dikarenakan kekompleksannya. Oleh sebab itu, kita dapat menggunakan sebuah media untuk memudahkan kita dalam memahami klausa sematan. Salah satu media yang dapat digunakan adalah koran. Salah satu koran yang memakai bahasa Inggris sebagai bahasa penghantarnya adalah The Jakarta Post. Artikel olahraga merupakan salah satu artikel yang dimuat di dalam koran tersebut. Kita dapat menemukan banyak klausa sematan dalam klausa sematan yang terdapat dalam koran The Jakarta Post.

Tujuan dari penelitian ini adalah (1) untuk mengetahui penggunaan klausa sematan yang mencakup jenis dan fungsi dari klausa sematan yang terdapat dalam artikel olahraga di koran The Jakarta Post Oktober 2012.

Penelitian ini merupakan penelitian kualitatif deskriptif. Data dari penelitian ini merupakan klausa sematan yang terdapat dalam artikel olahraga sedangkan artikel olahraga merupakan sebagai sumber data dari penelitian ini. Saya menggunakan penelitian deskriptif untuk menganalisis jenis-jenis dan fungsi dari klausa sematan dalam tiap klausa yang terdapat dalam artikel olahraga di koran The Jakarta Post terbit Oktober 2012.

Berdasarkan hasil penemuan dalam penelitian ini, saya menemukan klausa sematan berposisi sebagai kepala frasa sebanyak (51) dan sebagai penerang sebanyak (117). Sedangkan berkenaan dengan fungsi dari klausa sematan, saya menemukan klausa sematan yang berfungsi sebagai partisipan sebanyak (51), sebagai penerang dalam frasa nominal sebanyak (83), dan sebagai penerang dalam frasa keterangan sebanyak (52). Jenis klausa sematan yang paling dominan adalah sebagai kepala frasa sedang fungsi klausa sematan yang paling dominan adalah sebagai penerang dalam frasa nominal. Hal ini menunjukkan bahwa semakin banyak klausa sematan dalam suatu teks berarti semakin banyak informasi yang dapat didapat dalam teks tersebut. Penulis dari artikel tersebut ingin memberikan informasi lebih tentang artikel tersebut dengan lebih menjelaskan frasa nominal melalui embedded clause.

Dari penelitian ini, saya berharap para pembaca, pengajar, dan siswa lebih memperhatikan tentang klausa sematan dalam suatu teks karena klausa sematan berisi banyak informasi tentang teks tersebut sehingga kita dapat memahami teks tersebut dengan baik.

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